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**REQUEST  
FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL**

**MAIL STOP RCE**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	09/889,625
Confirmation Number	6942
Filing Date	July 19, 2001
First Named Inventor	Tetsuya SUZUTA
Group Art Unit	1754
Examiner Name	Ngoc Yen M. Nguyen
Matter Number	Q65479
Title	PROCESS FOR PRODUCING CHLORINE

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

a.  Previously submitted

- Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on November 17, 2004
- Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

b.  Enclosed

- Amendment/Reply
- Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
- Petition for Extension of Time
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**2. MISCELLANEOUS**

- Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**3. FEES**

Checks for the RCE statutory fee of \$770.00 and for the Petition for Extension of Time fee (for a third month) of \$590.00 (\$1020.00-\$430.00 (Two (2) month EOT filed on November 17, 2004) = \$590.00) are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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